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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION TO CORRECT THE NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE DATE STATED IN THE 02/27/08 PETITION TO THE COMMISSIONER UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.181(a)

Sir:

The previous petition filed on 02/27/08 incorrectly stated that applicant responded to the Notice of Allowance dated 03/16/07. The correct date of the Notice of Allowance is 09/06/07, as indicated hereinbelow.

Applicant respectfully requests the Notice of Abandonment dated 01/31/08 (included herewith) to be withdrawn because Applicant submitted a complete and timely response to the Notice Of Aliowance dated 09/06/2007. A copy of the acknowledged Part B-Fee Transmittal sheet is included herewith as prima facie evidence of a proper and timely filed issue fee.

Applicant has included a print out of an email, which provides prima facie evidence that the examiner incorrectly checked box 5B (requested drawing changes) on the Notice of Allowance (please see attached email). Applicant verbally notified the examiner about the incorrectly checked box on at least one occasion; November 19, 2007. Applicant explained to the examiner that no drawing changes were necessary because the claims were amended on the previous amendment, which overcame the drawing objections.

On 2/21/2008, both the examiner and the examiner's supervisor confirmed and acknowledged that no drawing changes were necessary with the payment of the issue fee. The examiner's supervisor, Mr. Peter Poon, informed applicant that a petition must Page 1 of 2.

be filed to forward the application to the publication department. Therefore, applicant respectfully requests the above-mentioned Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn and the application forwarded to the publication department for issuance into a patent. Please contact the undersigned attorney of record if you have any questions.

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Respectfully submitted,

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